Goa Shipyard

2970. SHRI HARISH NARAYAN PRABHU ZANTYE: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have received any proposal from the Goa Shipyard for its development;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the reaction of the Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI S. KRISHNA KUMAR): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c). A proposal for the construction of a new slipway at a cost of Rs. 6.88 crores was received from GSL. Government approval of this proposal has already been conveyed.

Construction of Bridges in Goa

2971. SHRI HARISH NARAYAN PRABHU ZANTYE: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the proposlas for construction of bridges in the State sent by the Government of Goa pending with the Union Government; and

(b) the action taken by the Government thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) and (b). The following two estimates pertaining to construction of bridges which form part of realignment project between km. 68-85 of NH-17 were received from the State Government of Goa in November, 1991;

(i) Construction of bridge at km. 70 across river Talpona on NH-17.

(ii) Construction of bridge across river Galgibagh at km. 75 on NH-17.

The two estimates are under examination.

Dredging of Rivers in Goa

2972. SHRI HARISH NARAYAN PRABHU ZANTYE: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) the amount spent by Dredging Corp. of India in Goa during each of the last three years; and

(b) the details of the dredging work done during the above period?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) The amount spent by Dredging Corporation of India during last three years on dredging of Rivers in Goa is as follows:

Year	*Rs. in lakhs*
1988-89	NIL
1989-90	88.33
1990-91	59.49

(b) The details of dredging work done during the last three years in River Mandovi is as follows:

Year	*Quantity in Cubic Metres*
1988-89	NIL
1989-90	67,388
1990-91	46,810